CDC Committee on Mathematics Education (2015 – 2017) Gist of the First Meeting

Date: 9 October 2015 (Friday)

Time: 2:30 p.m. – 4:35 p.m.

Venue: Conference Room, 12/F, Kowloon Government Offices, 405

Nathan Road, Kowloon

Points discussed and conclusions arrived:

1. Mr S W SUM was elected as the Chairperson of the Committee for the term of office 2015 – 2017.

- 2. The progress of the feedback collection on the updating of Mathematics Education KLA Curriculum Guide was reported and discussed. Questions in the questionnaire for the feedback collection were discussed.
- 3. The progress of the promotion of STEM education was reported and discussed. It was reported that the STEM Symposium would be rerun in November 2015 and the Education Fair for STEM Education would be held on January 2016.
- 4. The progress of the review of Mathematics curriculum (P1 S6) was reported and discussed. The composition of the Ad Hoc Committees were discussed and endorsed such that principals/Mathematics panel chairpersons, Mathematics teachers, academics from local tertiary institutions, CDCC members, officers from Mathematics Education Section, officers from Quality Assurance and School-based Support Division, and officers from HKEAA with a well-balanced representation should be included. It was also agreed that no members of the Ad Hoc Committees could be an author, editor or advisor of Mathematics textbooks, reference books or materials involving pecuniary interests.